

**Figure 1**

Figure 1 consists of two panels, (a) and (b), showing the evolution of the number of nodes ( $N$ ) over time ( $t$ ). Panel (a) shows the evolution of the number of nodes in the network, which starts at approximately 100 and increases rapidly, reaching a plateau around 1000 after about 100 time steps. The curve is smooth and follows a sigmoidal shape. Panel (b) shows the evolution of the number of nodes in the network, which starts at approximately 100 and increases rapidly, reaching a plateau around 1000 after about 100 time steps. The curve is smooth and follows a sigmoidal shape.

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455	517	2/13/06	896
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	41.3		
	11.1		
	13.4		
	15		
	527		
	73		
	550.1		
	553.1		
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455	522	2/13/06	896

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455	517	2/16/06	826
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